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OBITUARY.
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The many friends of Mrs. Annie Kate White, wife of Mr. Chris. White, jr., Clearview, will regret to learn of her death, which took place on Friday last, Feb. 14th, from influenza pneumonia. She leaves her husband and one child to mourn her death.

death. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon from Stone's undertaking parlors for the Red Deer cemetery, where, interment took place, the Rev. Mr. Suter conducting the services. Beautiful wreaths were sent in by her husband and son, the former being still sick in bed. Wreaths from C. White, sr., and family; wreath from T. B. Thompson; wreath from Red Deer Women's Institute; from the Clearview Women's

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THE WISER CUP.

A one-sided game for the Wiser Cup was played with two Calgary rinks. It was played with two Calgary rinks, skipped by Coult's and Miquelon of

Thursday evening last. The two Red Deer rinks were skipped by Welliver and Campbell. At the 14th end the game stood:
Campbell, 19; Coutts, 10.
Welliver, 10; Miquelon, 4.
Sixteen ends are supposed to be played, but the visitors quit. Red Deer won by 15 points.
Innisfail is expected to play here on Friday night, and Banff on Tuesday night next.

Meetings of special interest on Thursday, Feb. 20th, Knox Church, Nine-o'clock.—A forward movement in Home Missions and Social Service, recruits for the ministry and kindred subjects will be introduced in an address by the Rev. Collins Young, of Saskatchewan. These are people's meetings and the address

will be followed by an open discussion, 2 p.m.—An address will be given by Mrs. McKerrell of Toronto, representing the W.M.S. on Women's Part in the New Tasks of the Church; The Rev. E. R. McLean, of Vancouver, will introduce the question of Religious instruction of the young to which he is now devoting all his time. Both of these addresses will be followed by discussion, 3 p.m.

The Rev. Principal Gaudier, of Knox College, Toronto, will give an address on the Forward Movement, the Scope, Purpose and Methods proposed.—The annual meeting of the Presbytery of Red Deer is being held at the same time and this will add greatly to the helpfulness of the meetings. To see

the full benefit, get there on time.

Knox Church, Red Deer, February 23rd. Morning and evening worship will be conducted next Sunday at the usual hours. Sabbath School and Bible Class meet at 3 p.m.

St. Luke's Church services for Sexagesima Sunday: 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Matins and Litany; 2:30, Sunday School; 7:30, Evensong. Choir practice on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Teacher training

Leonard Gaetz Memorial Methodist Church, Rev. G. D. Armstrong, B. A. pastor. "Lesons from the Life of a Great Leader" will be the subject of

the morning sermon, an appreciation of the life and work of the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier. At the evening service the pastor will conclude the present series of special sermons bearing upon the problem of our future existence. The subject will be "Heaven, the vision of fulfilled desire." The choir has been re-organized, and special music will be rendered. On Sunday evening, March 2nd, Mrs. Nellie McClung, of Edmonton, will speak on "Woman's Work in Reconciliation." This is the

The final game of the ladies' bonspiel for the "Wholesalers' cup" resulted as follows:

Mrs. Gee	Mrs. McLennan
Miss Hampton	Mrs. Stone
Mrs. Davies	Mrs. Baird
Mrs. Lund, sk. 10	Mrs. Lindsay, sk.

Three rinks went down to Innisfail on Thursday to play the ladies there. The total was close, Innisfail having a little the edge of the game.

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The official programme of the engagements of President and Mrs. Wilson in England provided for a private dinner with the King and Queen on Monday night after their return from Manchester. This had been changed, and a farewell dinner in their honour will be given in the State dining room at Buckingham Palace, for which about 30 covers will be laid.

Sr. MARTIN'S, N.B.
 "For two years, I suffered tortures
 from *Severe Dyspepsia*. I had
 constant pains after eating; pains
 down the sides and back; and
 horrible bitter stuff often came up
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Warsaw, Feb. 10.—Poland has reached the first rung in the ladder of freedom, Ignace Jan Paderewski, the premier and foreign minister said in a statement today. The union of all parties in Poland, he added, was shown by the result of the elections and by the fact that the elections were conducted peacefully.

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The closing words of Mr. Wilson were greeted with subdued applause. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson visited the vestry before leaving the church for the purpose of inspecting articles of interest, and they afterwards visited the Cathedral. Their special train left Carlisle at 1.30, and reached Manchester at five o'clock.

AFTER EATING

**The Tortures of Dyspepsia
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ST. MARTIN'S, N.B.

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Mr. Ewing then pointed out that the section he referred to had been repealed at the last session. It had required the filing of these documents with the attorney-general, and this had been done up to some time in last April. It was these documents he wanted and Mr. Boyle agreed to get them.

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over with you.

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AUDITOR'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND ANNUAL RETURNS for the MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF

Lochean No. 401 FOR THE YEAR 1918

Receipts		Disbursements	
Balance from previous year	\$1687.65	Councillors' Fees and Mileage	\$210.00
General Municipal Taxes	9290.18	for Municipal Work, etc.	29.85
Supplementary Revenue Tax	1597.10	Sec. Treas. Bond	3.00
Seed Grain Advances	869.79	Postage Stamp	62.00
Educational Taxes	180.00	Election Expenses	121.45
Loans from Bank	961.28	Stationery and Supplies	35.20
Outstanding Cheques	901.25	Delegation Expenses and Membership Fee	40.10
		Labor	7821.70
		Uncollected Hospital Fees	606.00
		Machinery and Repairs	516.05
		Material	339.08
		Supplementary Revenue Tax Paid Department	1336.75
		Seed Grain Advances Paid Out	978.45
		Seed Grain Expense	20.00
		State Taxes Paid to Dept.	172.70
		Paid on Loans	401.25
		Interest and Exchange	21.02
		Refunds	23.80
		Refunds	27.42
		Land for Roads	224.00
		Influenza Epidemic	16.00
		Influenza Epidemic	500.00
		1917 Cheques paid	19.85
		Balance in Bank	561.31
		Cash on Hand	466.31
Total	\$15996.10	Total	\$15996.10

Assets		Liabilities	
Bank Balance	\$91.31	Outstanding Cheques	\$960.19
Cash on Hand	466.31	Uncollected Supp. Rev. Taxes	1620.60
Uncollected Municipal Taxes	1620.60	Uncollected Educational Taxes	27.59
Uncollected Supp. Rev. Taxes	1620.60	Due Dept. on account Supp. Rev. Taxes	200.35
Uncollected Seed Grain Advances	152.50	Notes Owning Bank: Municipal	60.00
Uncollected Educational Taxes	37.59	Land for Roads	224.00
Uncollected Seed Grain Advances	869.79	Pay Sheets	553.74
Office Furniture and Fixtures	460.00	Salaries	100.00
Machinery and Tools	1795.00	Sundry	19.85
paid	12.68	Balance of Assets over Liab.	18009.61
Total	\$25775.61	Total	\$25775.61

I hereby certify to the Correctness of this Statement.
Dated at Red Deer this 29th day of January, 1919.
EDWARD WILTON, Auditor.
T. W. ENSIGN, Sec'y-Treas.

Number of Resident Farmers in District approximately 807.
Estimated Population of District approximately 2500.

The Auditor's Report, amongst other matters, calls attention to the large amount of Arrears of Taxes upon the district, and that the new Tax Enforcement Procedure should be adopted and carried through so that delinquent taxpayers should be compelled to pay. The Auditor also points out that the Department of Municipal Affairs has received vouchers to be shown for all payments. The practice of giving credit for Road Work cheques issued and received is irregular and does not permit of a satisfactory audit of all transactions.

Take Notice that a meeting of the electors of the Municipal District of Lochean, No. 401, will be held at Locheanville on February 20th, 1919, at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing the electors of the nomination of candidates for the office of Councillors, and that such nominations will be there and then received between the hours of three and four o'clock in the afternoon.

T. W. ENSIGN, Secretary-Treasurer.

THE NEWS' WEEKLY SERMON

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The Test of Social Reform.

We are all social reformers now. We have passed beyond the stage at which we speak of saving souls. Or, if we retain the word we speak of saving men. To say, however, that we must save the man as he is—a mass of relations. It is the son, the brother, the husband, or the father which we wish to see up in the place on his own feet, animated by high spirit. We seek to readjust the relations in which the members of society stand to each other. This right adjustment is seen to be the realization of the will of God.

But if the soul is an abstraction, so is society, unless we regard it as an organization of members, each of whom is both the organ of the whole and the end for which the whole exists. So we need not dream of saving society apart from the regeneration of men. Social reform has sometimes been regarded as the establishment of new forms in which men react towards each other, new forms of social activity, without regard to the ideals which the various members of society seek to realize. As it was long ago pointed out, the principle of abstraction gives us crude socialism, principle of aggregation gives us crude individualism; but organization which affords a fitting sphere for each member gives us both social improvement and individual regeneration.

There has been an extreme activity in the reorganization of our social life in its industrial and its commercial aspects. But it is not always true that the method employed. And every earnest man is at times perplexed as to the right attitude which should be formed of projected changes. In the midst of perplexity it is comforting to meet one who sees clearly and who makes us feel that he sees clearly. No writer of our day has given a more spiritual interpretation to the social organization of the spirit than has Professor Bernard Bosanquet, of St. Andrews. But it is not often that the soul will walk with us and patiently make clear to the average man the perplexing outlook. This, however, has been done, and the scene was, appropriately enough, the city of Edinburgh. The result has been given to the public in a valuable pamphlet by Dr. Bosanquet, and published by Blackwood's, entitled, "The Social Criterion." The name arrests us. How shall we judge social reform? The task will be one degree more simple for those who grasp the meaning of this brief study.

The first peril is that which is ever present today—the confusion of names. For noologist, or sociologist, or terms are used to describe new schools which are antithetical to those for which the name was coined. Superficial resemblance blinds to fundamental difference. It is so easy to call a teacher an individualist, and to imagine, without any warrant, that his arguments are affected by the criticisms which are fatal to those views which are historically associated with the term "individualism." We may see the contrasted teaching as a protest against the name which is now used; and this we have the strange exhortation to leave the term "individualist" for "the commonplace collectivist; it is his by right." And it has become a commonplace that the word socialism has been adopted to describe any attempt to realize the spiritual end of society in the lives of its members. The truth is that the professed socialism is now infrequently the representative of the old individualism. This is the case when the socialist "treats the community as a system of institutions linked by ideas and purposes, but as a collection of creatures to be provided for as a crowd, and whose very lives are to be broken up into a series of wants, each to be satisfied as it arises, like the needs of a child or dog." The aim of society is the creation of a place for men through the mediation of customs. The customs or institutions of society pass over in the form of habits into the character of the individual. The spiritual view of society reveals its true end in the completeness of individual lives. In its economic aspect the test of this is found in general and sustained physical well-being. But such sustained well-being of a physical kind

involves a considerable development of moral quality. It is clear, then, that economic problems are never purely economic. The path of achievement to be found in purely economic reform. At the same time, economic organization, being the means by which "the whole world is every way bound with gold chains around the throne of God," is itself essentially spiritual. Economic organization is not blind, but is the action of a purposive spirit among things, the social reformer men have come to learn the mind of the spirit. The object of the believer is to search what this spirit of Christ which is in him signifies, and to adjust himself to it.

Betterment of conditions, when permanent, is the test of real advancement, but unless there be real sympathy with the better conditions they will not be permanent. There must be some direct relation between economic condition and the finding of one's own place in the Divine order of the world. Customs must become habits, and habits may be formed without much effort, but organization which creates a new social institution—for instance, a "dry" township—will not pass over the personal character of the existing adult members of the community save through the deliberate action of the people. But into the lives of those born and trained in such institutions the custom may pass as a habit of thought, or a mode of life, and character is formed through the inarticulate ministry of institutions. The character of the township should be in accord with the declared status assigned by law; and the great object of licence law is to assure that there shall be a real and not merely a nominal agreement between the law of the place and the custom of the place. Conditions, when permanent, must be produced character. But there is no tolerance power in legislation apart from the local custom supposed to be embodied in the law. Enlightened social reform does not seek to eliminate the moral conflict, but it illuminates it with hope. Its object must be to provide, and to escape for those—and they are many—whose habits and character are superior to the customs of the class into which they are born, and whose temporary causes, they have sunk. When moral poverty has produced economic unfitness, no treatment but the economic trouble without inducing such a spiritual quickening as will have economic results. All this tends to the conclusion that there is little to be done in the way of social reform save as there are provided channels through which rearing impulses may be brought to life. It is personal organization which must be re-established. And this can be accomplished only as personality is brought to life. The Christian redemption is redemption by inspired and inspiring personality. It is a programme of imparted personality, of vital incorporation, both into a supreme personality, and into a body which holds that personality, as it were, in solution. By any means, and by all means, sacramental suggestions must be made. The man who has failed must be led to believe that at this moment, and through this rite, his own esoteric manhood is reinforced by the personality of the saints who are nearest the throne, and of Him who sits on the throne itself.

The social reform will not suggest any alternative for the man who is olden other than the old one. "Rise, take up thy bed, and walk." But it will seek to bring that old way to bear in such a way that it will come with inspiration and hope. True social reform aims, therefore, at creating a greater force of inspiration. It never fights the battle but it nerves to the conflict. Nothing can be farther removed from this position than the opposite assumption that each man must find to himself and to his God alone. While every man must bear his own burden, the enlightened social reformer can have little sympathy with that old individualism which says that society has nothing to do with the individual other than to assure manhood of life and property. That sort of view one must assert the spiritual nature of society. But because one asserts this spirituality it becomes useful to show that all the institutions of society share in the high dignity. Crude socialism would recognize the mandate given to the state—society in its ultimate unit of force. But it would deprecate the family and the industrial order. Nothing is gained of permanent worth unless these other organs of the spirit are utilized. Therefore the family must receive more attention. The family must be guarded against the forces which threaten to pervert its real end. The marriage of the unit must be long claim the most arduous thought. The philanthropic efforts towards children are increasingly directed towards the cultivation of each child in a family. Though the direct guarantee of a living wage, a direct guarantee to give efficient support to a family may be impossible, it is not so impossible, by means of communications, to reduce the rents and other forms of expense so that the family may be for a longer time maintained as a unit.

It is, therefore, only after careful qualification that one can hold that the state can do nothing for the production of character. The goal of society is ever definite, its function is positive. But the means by which that end is to be reached will ever be finer and more delicate adjustment and organization of forces. Organizations will do little, but the organization of tacit patient students may do much. In the pamphlet to

which reference has been made Prof. Bosanquet shows what has been accomplished in the training of better school children. "Take this man; by itself, provide meals at the school for part of the life time, and little is accomplished. By the use of skilled, tactful visitors, stimulating each home in a certain district to the full discharge of its varied functions, permanent and general improvement of a gratifying kind has been achieved."

Thus the essential test of all projected reform is the question of the fashioned one—how far is personality developed—how far are men advanced towards self-reliance? Without this, the reform which springs from kindly, but ill-considered intention and pity, may be no improvement, and may quite probably even fail of reform.

OUR SOLDIER BOYS

On Tuesday evening of last week a couple of fine fat turkeys were nicely cooked with all the good things imaginable. In fact, it is sufficient to say Mrs. Dixon prepared the viands herself. After dinner the evening was spent in games and social chat. M. J. Gibson, the Clearview teacher, was present and entertained at times with some old-fashioned jokes and homilies on the soldier boys in the neighborhood. The party was a most successful one, and a commendable event. These brave war-scarred boys must feel that a knowledge of their sacrifices on the fields of Flanders for British liberty and justice is much alive in the hearts of our people.

As to the feast, well, the tables were laden with all the good things imaginable. In fact, it is sufficient to say Mrs. Dixon prepared the viands herself. After dinner the evening was spent in games and social chat. M. J. Gibson, the Clearview teacher, was present and entertained at times with some old-fashioned jokes and homilies on the soldier boys in the neighborhood. The party was a most successful one, and a commendable event. These brave war-scarred boys must feel that a knowledge of their sacrifices on the fields of Flanders for British liberty and justice is much alive in the hearts of our people.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McKinnon, Mrs. Hepburn, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dixon, Penhold, the occasion being a 7 o'clock dinner given in honor of the returned soldier boys in the neighborhood. The party was a most successful one, and a commendable event. These brave war-scarred boys must feel that a knowledge of their sacrifices on the fields of Flanders for British liberty and justice is much alive in the hearts of our people.

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SUMMARY STATEMENT			
Income	\$7,021,103	Gain over 1917	\$596,588
Paid to Policyholders	3,201,418	Increase over 1917	777,427
Assets	34,755,737	Gain over 1917	2,500,305
Ratio of Expense to Income	19.84%	Decrease from 1917	2.1%
New Assurances	21,541,009	Cash over 1917	1,417,508
Assurances in force	137,640,614	Gain over 1917	14,129,300

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YEAR	INCOME	ASSETS	PAID TO POLICYHOLDERS	BUSINESS IN FORCE
1878	\$ 50,778	\$ 142,000	\$ 122,894	\$ 1,853,311
1888	393,075	1,206,587	1,206,587	12,041,914
1898	923,941	4,126,132	360,308	23,703,979
1908	2,546,141	12,983,674	827,749	54,003,882
1918	7,021,103	34,755,737	3,201,418	137,640,614

A copy of the detailed Report will be mailed to every policyholder in due course.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1919.

GOOD ARGUMENT

Calgary Herald.—Mrs. McKinney, Non-Partisan member of the legislature, paid some attention in her address in the house the other day to liquor law enforcement. It had been hinted that the lady would perform in a sensational manner, but there was nothing sensational in anything she had to say. Her talk, however, did not lack force for that reason. It was a serious appeal for law enforcement, couched in temperate language and carrying weight because of its moderation.

Mrs. McKinney does not think the government has done itself credit by the way it has enforced the Liquor Act, and she does not hesitate to say so. Just what the trouble has been she does not attempt to explain, but she holds the government responsible for the state of affairs that has developed and puts up a case to the premier which he cannot get around, no matter how much he may squirm. Failure to enforce the Liquor Act successfully, Mrs. McKinney contends, brings that act into disrepute and leads people to the conclusion that they may safely disregard it. Disregard for this law is calculated to result in less regard for other laws, with the ultimate result that from being a law-abiding province Alberta may become a lawless area. The argument is good, and its truth must be admitted. Also the responsibility is clearly up to the government.

There are many people in Alberta who do not like the Liquor Act, and unless forced to do so will not keep its provisions. That is not the best sort of citizenship service, no doubt, but it is the condition, and must be faced. While the law remains on the statute books it is the duty of the people to respect its terms and the duty of the provincial authorities to see that those terms are enforced without partiality. Alberta wants no exhibition such as has just been witnessed in British Columbia. Nothing of the sort can happen here if the authorities do their work as it should be done.

THE LATE EDWIN CARSWELL

Red Deer Advocate.—In the death of Mr. Edwin Carswell, at Calgary, Alberta, leaves one of her intelligent and faithful workers in the cause of agricultural co-operation in Alberta. Mr. Carswell knew the needs of the average farmer from hard experience and never lost touch with the viewpoint of the friends and neighbors with whom he was associated in his active farming days at Horn Hill. He gave valuable service as manager of the Red Deer Creamery and to the Red Deer Co-operative Association, which was the first in the Province, and owed its institution to Mr. James Bower, Red Deer, ex-provincial president of the U.F.A., whom Mr. Carswell succeeded in the local branch. He had the fate of many another man of similar temperament and training in seeing organizations to whose upbuilding he had ungrudgingly given some of the best years of his life pass from them into the control of a new generation with somewhat different ideas. He was one of the foundation builders of farmers' co-operation in Alberta, and the Red Deer district may well be proud that in Mr. Carswell, Mr. Speakman, and Mr. Bower it has contributed three outstanding men to this great work, of whom Mr. Bower alone remains with us.

THE CITY COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the City Council was held on Thursday evening, Feb. 14th, at 8 o'clock, at the City Hall. Mr. W. E. Lord in the chair, and Ald. Simpson, Broughton, Stone, Collison, and Moyes in attendance.

CORRESPONDENCE

Several letters were read from persons in England and Saskatchewan, asking for information regarding law and other matters in this district. The letters were all read.

A letter was read from the Red Deer Local of the U.F.A. to the telephone service, to the Provincial government, asking them to take over the rural lines in this district.

Moved by Ald. Simpson and Stone that the request of the Red Deer U.F.A. No. 32, to the Alberta Government, regarding telephone service, dated February 8, 1919, be endorsed by this Council, and that the Commissioners be requested to notify the Minister of Railways and Telephones to that effect. Carried.

The Secretary of the Saskatchewan Association of Municipalities, Mr. C. E. Towns, Company against their taxes in that city. Filed.

Commissioner, Stephenson wrote the Department of Militia and Defence, pointing out that Canadian Official Record stated the 18th Batt. had been created in Calgary. The Department wrote that the 18th Battalion was credited to Red Deer, and they regretted the mistake in the records.

A letter was read from Calgary Council asking the co-operation of this council in a strong petition to Ottawa for recognition of claims of the West to development. Etc. The petition was filed.

J. E. Welton, secretary of the School Board sent in his estimated requirements for schools this year, which was \$25,384.50. Filed.

A letter from North Battleford asked co-operation of the City Council in an effort to get better rates on slack coal for power plants. Moved by Ald. Collison and Broughton that the resolution be the streets freight rate charged for transportation of slack coal sent out by the secretary of North Battleford be endorsed by this council and the commissioners be requested to forward same to Conservation Commission and Railway Commission. Carried.

The town of Vegreville asked for information with regard to obtaining good water for that municipality. The Commissioners replied.

A letter was read from E. A. Towse, of the Lyric Theatre, protesting against the high business tax, from \$30 last year to \$114 this year, although his theatre has been closed for a long time. He pointed out that he had paid \$50 for license to the Province, and \$60 a day at least on the theatre, and that the tax was his business tax, which he could hardly stand. He asked that his business tax be reduced to \$50 or at least a reasonable sum. Ald. Stone strongly favored giving Mr. Towse a rebate as he was putting on good reels, and had been hard hit by closing of theatre. Ald. Simpson and Broughton could not see how a change could be made now, although they sympathized with Mr. Towse.

COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

The Commissioners brought in the following report: The Council, City of Red Deer, Gentlemen:—We submit our regular report as follows:

The mortgage on the N.W. 1/4 section 30-36-4, W. 5th Mer. was due on February 1st. We recommended that the City solicitor be instructed to collect the amount of the mortgage at once or take foreclosure proceedings.

On January 2nd the Commissioners discussed with Mr. McEwan, E. J. Ramsey and W. A. Moore, Manager of the Western Canadian Electric Co., the question of street lights in Highland Park. Several propositions regarding these additional lights have been made by the Company and laid before the Council, but nothing further has been done pending the signing of the new street lighting agreement, by the Company which has not been done as yet. On the advice of the Solicitors we wrote the Company in reply to their letter that the City Council had no objection to the new lights being installed, advising the Company that until the new agreement was signed by the Company the Council could not pay for the new lights under the terms of the old agreement.

It was reported to us by a Director of the Exhibition Association that hay was stored in the horse barn at the Exhibition grounds. As this was contrary to the agreement with the Exhibition Association, we notified A. H. Trimble of the hay removed at once.

We were advised by J. J. Goetz, M.P.P., that the Bill amending the Red Deer Charter was introduced in the Legislative Assembly on Friday, 7th inst., and that he would advise when the bill will be considered in committee.

We submit judgment in the appeal of J. G. W. Greene against the decision of the Court of Revision on the assessment of North Red Deer lots. The appeal was dismissed.

We submit herewith departmental reports for January.

We submit herewith accounts for your authorization to pay.

We submit for your consideration the following by-laws:

To amend the Curfew by-law: To levy a forage tax for water purposes.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. E. LORD,

A. T. STEPHENSON,

Commissioners.

Departmental reports were read from the Fire department, the M.H. Officer and the City Police, which were received and filed.

HEALTH REPORT FOR JANUARY

During the month there was a secondary outbreak of Flu and the Schools were closed. At present the City is nearly free from this disease, only two houses being quarantined, and the high school has been reopened. The Public schools will likely be opened Monday next if the Medical Health Officer considers it advisable. The isolation hospital was closed on January 27th, but left open for the immediate occupancy of any other cases of contagious or infectious disease has been reported this year.

Respectfully submitted,

W. E. LORD,

A. T. STEPHENSON,

Commissioners.

ACCOUNTS

The following accounts were passed:

Bank of Montreal	\$225.54
Mrs. Parker	10.00
St. Paul's School	500.00
Imperial Bank	919.58
Royal Bank	195.13
T. A. Assumptions	5.00
Toronto Stencil Works	7.02
G. H. Lindsay	78.00
Baldwin, Dow & Bowman	125.00
McLewin	41.25
Black Packing Co.	41.20
Custie & Reed	11.75
J. Malcolm Co.	12.75
J. Wright	10.00
A. Goetz	15.00
Mrs. H. Meeres	45.00
Imperial Bank	492.02
F. H. Anquetin	257.51
Bank of Montreal	257.18
Wm. Gee	18.00
Payne & Graham	55.80
J. Malcolm Co.	287.51
West. Gen. Elec.	28.31
Cushing Bros.	13.20
Dep. Min. Mun. Affairs	13.15
Hamilton Baking Co.	2.53
Red Deer Dairy Products	4.00
G. A. Bullock	7.00
Dart Hardware Co.	2.20
Goetz-Cornell Co.	10.45

THE CURFEW BY-LAW

At 10:15 o'clock the Council tackled the Curfew by-law for the last time.

Ald. Galbraith would like to see the hour run at 9 o'clock the whole year. His worship remarked that if the day-light saving system was again adopted, children would be obliged to be in three hours before sun down. He thought this far too early.

Ald. Collison strongly favored the 10 o'clock in the summer. If it is carried he will strongly favor its strict enforcement.

The by-law finally made the hours for ringing the bell 9 o'clock in winter and 10 o'clock in summer, from April to Oct. 1st, and the age was reduced to fourteen instead of sixteen. Ald. Simpson voted against the by-law.

The council adjourned at 11 o'clock.

WILL PREMIER

BORDEN ACCEPT?

AS SECOND IN COMMAND OF THE EMPIRE CANADA CANNOT SPARE HIM

Ottawa, Feb. 13.—With parliament opening a week from today and many members already in the city, there is a revival of political gossip. Most of it hinges round the story of the London Express that Sir Robert Borden has been offered the post of British ambassador at Washington. There is much speculation as to whether such an offer has been made, whether Sir Robert will accept it if it has been made, and what will happen if he should be removed from the Canadian political arena. While nothing official is known as to whether Sir Robert has been offered the post, there is an inclination to believe that the story is correct.

SOURCE IS RELIABLE

The London Express is owned by Lord Beaverbrook, and he is exceedingly well informed both as to inside cabinet secrets and as to Canadian Anglo news. The post at Washington is vacant. Lord Reading was appointed when Sir Spring-Rice resigned, but he was a sort of ambassador extraordinary, for the term of the war. Lord Hugh Cecil has been offered the position, but it is believed will refuse. The post at Washington is regarded as one of the most important in the gift of the imperial government. In view of the fact that the United States and Great Britain are the chief backers of the league of nations plan it will be even more important after peace is signed than in the past.

The Canadian government for some time has urged that Canada should have a representative at Washington. Representations were made early in the war, and at one time Hon. Douglas Hazen was slated as Canadian agent at Washington to co-operate with the British ambassador and look after Canadian interests. However, the plan did not go through and for a time a Canadian mission was appointed with Lord Harris at the head. The mission is now being closed in view of the feeling of the Dominion government on the subject, and it will not surprise Ottawa if Sir Robert has been offered the post.

NEXT TO LLOYD GEORGE

In Great Britain, Sir Robert is regarded next to Lloyd George as the leading statesman of the empire. It is well known that the British prime minister has a great deal of confidence in Sir Robert. This has been

shown in the prominent part which Sir Robert Borden has played at the peace conference. Provided he has been offered the post, then the question of his going to Washington is tempting to Sir Robert. He has been prime minister of Canada during the seven most strenuous years of the Dominion's history, and is the only prime minister in a belligerent nation who has had the reins of power throughout the whole war. He has won the greatest honors to be gained in Canada. There are strenuous days ahead. It would be tempting, indeed, to accept an ambassadorial post at Washington, a position of honor and dignity and for which his knowledge of Canadian, American and British affairs particularly fit him.

WILL DO HIS DUTY

Sir Robert can be counted on to do only what is in the best interests of the country. If he is convinced that his duty lies in Canada as the head of the Union government, he will remain at his post. As for his colleagues, Liberal and Conservative Unionists alike would deeply regret to see his retirement. He was the founder of the Union government, it was his patriotism, patience, and sincerity which made it possible. He has been the keystone of the Union government ever since; he has won the absolute confidence of his colleagues. The future of the Union government rests on his shoulders, and that is why he alone is able to weld the two elements into one permanent party.

In the present state of political flux, and in the face of the uncertainty and social unrest, it is strongly felt that Sir Robert should remain at the head of the Canadian government and the general belief here is that even if he has been offered the post he will refuse. Nothing definite is expected until the return of the prime minister from England.

MANY CITIZENS PAY TRIBUTE TO COL. R. BELCHER

Edmonton citizens in all walks of life turned out on mass Thursday afternoon to pay the last tribute to an outstanding figure in Western life, in the person of the late Col. R. Belcher, C.M.G., who died suddenly at Calgary on Monday. The funeral service was conducted in the First Presbyterian church by Rev. Dr. McQueen, assisted by Captain Major Barrow, of the Anglican Church, and was of a very impressive nature. The speaker referred to the long life of service of the deceased, and of the great work he had done in Western Canada, and in the larger field of the empire during the last half century. During the service the Dead March was played while the large audience stood with bowed heads. The pall bearers were Colonel Mackie, Colonel Macdonald, Colonel May, Colonel Primrose, Colonel Saunders, Colonel Wilson, and the Lieutenant Wroughton, of the R.N.W.M.P.

The funeral was a full military one, members of the 138th Battalion which was organized by Colonel Belcher being present in large numbers. Interment took place at the Edmonton cemetery.

The arrangements were in charge of Lt.-Col. Mackie, commanding the Strathcona Horse at Calgary, who came from the south with a company of his men and took command of the

escort and firing party. Lieutenant Bennett, D.S.O., also of Calgary, was in charge of the gun-carriage, and Lieut. Wright commanded the mourning party from District Depot No. 13. The mourning party from the 138th Battalion was commanded by Capt. George D. Hunt, Brigadier General Macdonald, C.M.G., D.S.O., the new G.O.C. for District

13, represented the adjutant-general. After leaving the first Presbyterian church the order of the funeral procession was as follows: Mourning party, newby's band, gun-carriage and pail bearers, chief mourners, junior officers in front, Royal North West Mounted Police, Details from District Depot 13 and the Great War Veterans' Association.



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H. G. Stone's New Phone Numbers, 172-173-174.

.....Owing to the New Telephone Directory for 1919 being issued sooner than we expected, and the changing of our Telephone numbers to ones that run consecutively, we wish to announce to the citizens of Red Deer and vicinity that our

NEW MOTOR EQUIPMENT for Ambulance and Funeral Work, owing to delays at the factory, will not arrive here before the end of March or the first week in April.

Our Ambulance will be one of the latest design and right up to date in finish and equipment, the service that we will then be able to give to the city of Red Deer and surrounding districts will be equal to any city in Canada.

Our Funeral equipment, as in the past, will be first class in all respects, including Motor Hearse, Lead Car, Mourners and Pall Bearers Cars.

We shall retain our Horse Drawn Hearse Casket Wagon, etc, for bad weather when motor equipment cannot be used, as these have lived in this district for many years of years know that this winter has been an exceptionally open one with very little snow, and that this is not a rule, as generally our winters are such that motor cars cannot be run with any surety outside the beaten roads in the city.

Our Chapel when completed will seat from fifty to seventy-five persons. We will let the public be the judge as to its good points when the time comes to open it for funeral services.

As to our charges for funerals, that is entirely in the hands of those persons who are ordering the Funeral, but our prices will meet all conditions and all persons.

Our New Phone Numbers: Office Phone 172.

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Phone 173 and 174 for Day or Night Calls. With this arrangement of Phones we are at your SERVICE at any time day or night.

Trusting that we will have the support of the Citizens of Red Deer and vicinity in the future as in the past.

We remain,

Yours Respectfully,

H. G. STONE.

FEDERAL PROGRAMME

ABOUT COMPLETED

ONLY HALF OF CABINET MINISTERS WILL BE PRESENT TO CARRY ON WORK

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Although there are 20 cabinet ministers, only 10 will be in the commons to carry on the work of the government today. A busy session for the 10 ministers. There are now three ministers in the senate—Sir James Loughhead, Hon. Arthur Sifton and Hon. C. J. Doherty. Two ministers, Hon. C. B. Balfour and Hon. Frank Cochrane, will be absent a large part of the session owing to illness.

With the opening of parliament 10 days away, the government's legislative programme is practically complete. The work of the session promises to be mostly embraced in measures of reconstruction. There will be a new soldiers' land settlement bill, a federal aid to highways measure, a bill providing a Dominion grant to technical education, and important railway, financial, commercial and labor legislation.



160 BOOTS AND SHOES, Trunks,
CLOTHING and Furnishings
161 DRY GOODS, Smallwares,
Fancy Goods and Novelties
162 READY-TO-WEAR, Corsets
MILLINERY, Fur
163 HAREWARE, Auto Supplies,
164 TINSHOP, Heating, Plumbing,
165 GROCERIES, Flour and Feed,
166 OFFICE, General Enquiry,
167 W. E. LORD,—Office.

NEW GOODS FOR SPRING AND SUMMER

For the past week we have been opening up new goods and placing them in stock, and they are now offered in an abundance for your approval and selection. **OUR STAPLE DEPARTMENT** is specially fortunate, and in this selection you will find many new ideas in weaves in Cotton Dress Fabrics.



Dressy Overcoats for Boys

Never before have we been able to show such a nice range of Little Gents' Coats. Mothers will be pleased with these. They are smart dressy coats made up in the latest models, in Blue and Grey; perfect fitting, and made from good materials; sizes 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 years. We will be pleased to show you these.

New Spring Hats for Men

We have just received a large shipment of new spring hats for men. These are the latest styles on the market; lovely new shades of Brown, Grey and Green in bound of raw edges, perfect fitting, shapes that suit and please. You will find one here that becomes you. Drop in and look them over.



Just Dip the Brush

Fill your home with cheerful, healthful brightness—dispell the gloom from dark corners—give new life and long life to your furniture.

It is the simplest, most satisfying occupation you ever know, if you use

KYANIZE

The Home-Preserving Varnish

All that the best varnish in the world can be tough enough to resist the heaviest hammer blow without cracking—firm enough to baffle the attempts of the roughest heel to make them scratch white—absolutely hot and cold water proof.

Made in America, Kyanize Varnish is specified by the leading architects for the finest buildings, prepared by particular and skillful painters, and yet—it's such an easy matter to use Kyanize—nothing to mix—nothing to fuss with. Anyone can obtain beautiful results. Made in eight shades and ground color—Light Oak, Dark Oak, Cherry, Walnut, Mahogany, Golden Oak, Rosewood and Colonial Green.

¼ pts. 25c. ½ pts. 45c. pints 75c. quarts \$1.30
One quart covers 100 sq. feet two coats.

BLACK DAZZLE

Black Dazzle will make the stove pipes, registers, and any iron work you wish to brighten, shine with a brilliant black.

¼ pt. size 20c
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ANTI-SPLASHERS

Get an Anti-Splasher for your water tap. Prevents splashing while using the tap; works on hose thread or plain tap.

Priced 10c

NOVELTY WEAVE DRESS GOODS

This is one of the season's newest in diagonal weaves in rich shades of Brown, Saxe and Green; 40 inches wide; per yard \$1.95

FIRST SHIPMENT

Mens New Spring Suits

For Men Just Arrived

Our first shipment of new spring clothes for men is now ready for your inspection. These suits are direct from the manufacturer and are perfect models in every respect; beautiful tailored garments made from best imported cloths. We will be pleased to show you these. A dandy range of new Blue, Grey and Brown shades. You will like them. Our prices are reasonable.

Fine Twill Dress Serges

AT \$2.25 PER YARD

This serge is very exceptional value—made of finest wool and cotton yarns firmly woven and perfectly dyed; is especially suitable for making suits, dresses and separate skirts, in shades of Brown and Dark Sand; 40 inches wide; per yard \$2.25

New Gaberdine Cloth

AT \$2.35 PER YARD

This cloth is of wool and cotton mixture, and is very suitable for suits, dresses, skirts, etc., in rich shades of Dark Green, Brown, Navy, Wine and Sand, 44 inches wide; per yard \$2.35

Special Values in House Dresses

Priced \$1.25, 2.75, 3.25 & 3.50

These are values that we could not duplicate today. They are in neat style of good quality Gingham and Percales, in nice medium dark stripes and check effects, sizes 34 to 44.

Special at \$1.25, \$2.75, \$3.25 and \$3.50

Silk Plush Coat

Reg. \$42.50, For Clearance, \$29.75

A Beautiful Stylish Coat of "Salts" celebrated Esquimette Silk Plush in a rich shade of hunter's Green Has wide Belt, and deep round collar, and trimmed with large plush covered buttons.

Two only, Beautiful Plush Coats

Specially Marked for Clearance

These Two Coats are the very latest style, mde of "Salts" celebrated Esquimette Plush, and for the two fortunate ladies wearing size 38, we would advise their coming in early. On Sale Wednesday. See our windows for the two beautiful garments.

Silk Plush Coat

Reg. \$65.00, For Clearance, \$43.50

This is a very stylish model in "Salts" Black Esquimette Silk Plush in Empire waist effect. Large deep collar and cuffs trimmed with large plush covered buttons, in size 38. Regular \$65.00, At \$43.50.

New English and American Domestic Prints

We have a wonderfully well assorted range of new patterns and colors in "Potter's" English Prints, also in best Canadian and American makes, in light and dark grounds, striped, figured and dotted effect; 32 and 36 inches wide, per yard 35c

New "Beach" Dress Fabric

We have a lovely range of this popular summer dress fabric, in plain colors of White, Black, Pink, Sky, Rose, Copenhagen and Sand. This cloth is especially suitable for ladies' dresses, skirts and for children's wear, as it is very durable and launders very nicely; 36 inches wide, per yard 95c

New Figured Cotton Crepe Dress Goods

These new Crepes are in the season's newest fabrics and will be very popular owing to the ease with which it can be laundered, and for its serviceable qualities. Come in lovely shades of Pinks and Blues, and in Black with figured designs, also in plain white ground with colored floral designs and polka dot; especially suitable for children's dresses; 27 in. wide; per yard 45c

New Wool Dress Goods

We invite you to inspect the new dress goods now on display. Great care has been taken in the selection of these new dress materials, and you are assured when making your selection from our well assorted stock, that you are getting the very newest and at the very lowest prices.

ALL-WOOL ARMURE CLOTH

This cloth is of all-dool and a beautiful rich weave, in the popular shades of Navy, Green and Taupe; 42 inches wide; per yard \$4.50

GROCERY SPECIALS

Here are offerings from the "Good Eats" section that will help you cut down the high cost of living:

California Naval Oranges at 30c, 40c, 50c & 60c doz.
California Sunkist Lemons, at 40c per doz.
Bananas, at 15c a lb.

EXTRA SELECT DRIED FRUIT.

Evaporated Apples 21b for 45c
Evaporated Peaches 2 lb for 45c
Evaporated Peaches 10 lb for \$2.20
Evaporated Peaches 25 lb for \$5.25
Evaporated Prunes, per lb 20c and 25c
Evaporated Prunes 5lb box \$1.00
Evaporated Prunes 25lb box \$4.70
Evaporated Pears 25c per lb
Evaporated Apricots 35c per lb
Seeded Raisins (Sunkist) 2 for 25c
Seedless Raisins (Griffin's) 15c lb.
Currants 20c per packet
Dromedary Dates 30c per packet

VEGETABLES

Carrots 8lbs. for 25c
Turnips 8 lbs for 25c
Cabbage 5 lbs for 25c
Potatoes 95c per bushel.

THANKS FOR XMAS PARCELS

Sent by the Local Council of Women of Red Deer

The acting President of the Local Council of Women of Red Deer has received acknowledgements of Christmas parcels sent by the ladies of Red Deer, which shows that the work and generosity of the ladies were very highly appreciated. Their parcels with the sweets being exceptionally welcome. It would take too much space to give all the letters, but the following will give some idea of the sentiment of the boys and of some of their experiences.

The sense of appreciation which the boys felt is expressed in all the letters. Perhaps that of Rev. Dr. Wilson may be taken as an example. The Doctor writes from Shorncliffe:

"I deeply appreciate the kindness of the L.C.W. in sending that very attractive box as a reminder of Christmas. Glad to be thought of as still a citizen of Red Deer, where I always felt so much at home and where I have so many people I like to think of as friends."

"The women of Canada have done a good work for our boys. They will never know how kind have been the thoughts of our soldiers towards them because so few, I fancy, have felt to express in letters what they have felt. But one in my position has opportunities for knowing something of the appreciation felt through the many kind efforts of Canada's women."

"I think that at present most of us are pretty restless, the Christmas season doubtless intensifying the feeling. Demobilization, however, will of necessity be slow. For myself I scarcely expect to get home before spring, and I please convey my sense of appreciation to the L.C.W. for the Christmas box."

C. F. Bannister, Havre-Croix, France, about eleven miles from Cambrai, said: "The parcels were much appreciated. We were very appreciative as we were having difficulty in obtaining supplies and we had just moved into our new quarters."

N. B. Hughes, Mons, had a similar experience. "Something had gone wrong with the auto department, and our rations were conspicuous by their absence," when the parcel arrived "at the psychological moment."

Reading, wrote: "There is always something in a parcel from Canada that makes it of much greater value than the material which it contains. It is something more than the extra sugar that goes into Canadian-made fruit cake or candy, nor mention the fruit which is so scarce here; I think it must be that these are the parcels through which we are actually made to sense the thoughtfulness and sympathy of folks at home."

watched with interest the reception of "boxes from home," at the same time feeling that I needed none, as my parcels were so small. But I have learned since to appreciate better the meaning as well as the substance of the things."

In our ward, four men are Canadians (left in all), so I had the cook make up a special pudding with the raisins from your box, and all blessed Canadian raisins are rare in this land."

P. McGill, 21st Reserve, Bramshott, wishes to congratulate the ladies on the judgment used in making the parcels. "It certainly met all requirements, and you must have had some advice given from a returned man in putting it up. There is a great scarcity of everything except over here, the genuine Canadian 'Players' were a 'bon treat.' The Christmas parcels have started coming in, and for the first time in the history of the army, some of us have actually missed the grub line. Sounds funny, but it's true."

P. B. Fisher, C.A.M.C., writing from Villers-en-Chateau, France, Dec. 23, said the parcel was "real home" (good)—everything in it filled a want, and the honey was indeed a treat. He was in a hospital as a orderly and they had a patient who "has been gassed and the honey was given to him as a reward to ease his cough and his lungs. Poor boy! I am afraid he is one of many who will not know what good health is again. The hospital is in the Alps mountains on the east side of France just west of Lake Geneva, a beautiful place. But I fancy Red Deer will look just as good to me for it will be four years in May next since I left my home. I put in eight months in the trenches up on the Belgian front where I got a slight shell shock and was sent here as being of no further use in the trenches. I am better now, but I left my silent son lying there in his grave. How thankful we all are that it is over now and the thing that is in the soldiers' minds is to get home to their family which will be a complete change in his existence for army life in war time is not to be envied, although there is the bright side to it. There is not much sign of demobilization here although 80 head of horses, according to orders, left here for Paris as they were to be sent to the front as the poor brutes serving us so faithfully all through the war to go for human food! I am going to leave here on the 27th to go on pass—the first pass since October, 1917. I got from here to Nice and Monte Carlo in the extreme south end, after fourteen days there report back to the C.A.M.C. depot in Folkestone, England, a nice trip."

Miss Nina Nash, C.A.M.C., 10th Canadian Sanitary Hospital, B.E.F., France, wrote that the lovely parcel arrived in splendid condition. "It was one of the best parcels I have ever received, and certainly was a great treat, especially the cake and candy, both of which are very hard to get either here or in 'Blighy.' I shared everything with the other Sisters (there are five of us in one hut) and everything was highly appreciated and all the girls send their thanks. I came to France about two months ago, and like it very much. The work is quite hard, but there is very hot tape here than in England. I suppose everyone is fed and there is very excited about peace; well, we are too, and we are all hoping to be back home before very long. I have met very few Red Deer people since coming overseas, but then I have nursed Imperial and Australian patients more than I have Canadians, I think. I saw Miss Allen, Mrs. Howitt's sister, at Brighton shortly before I left there. She had just arrived in England. The Spanish flu has been very bad here, we lost a great many cases."

Miss Allen wrote from No. 10 Canadian Hospital, Brighton, Eng., about her "charming Christmas box from the ladies. The fruit cake was delicious and I am curious to know by whom it was made"—Hamilton Baking Co., Pie, J. W. Christian, 10th Canadians, Germany, writes:

"I have great pleasure in sending you and the ladies of the L.C.W. greetings from 'beyond the Rhine' on receipt of

the very nice parcel I received from you yesterday. I well remember receiving parcels from the same source very early in the present year, while we were resting from a long tour of trench duty near Lens, and we little thought that less than a year would see us in occupation of German territory. We rather thought that we were doomed to live in caves and tunnels till we were returned to Canada, white haired decrepit old men, having been relieved from trench duty by our sons or son's sons, having grown up in our absence, and able to bear arms (and shoot) for their country at a moment's notice. A really glorious future was awaiting us, and after four months of really interesting fighting, we set out on a walking tour through Belgium and part of Germany, to enable us to wind up our 'Watch on the Rhine.'"

"It has taken us thirty-four days to reach this small town of Hoffmangthal, situated about 10 miles east of Cologne, twenty-two of which were actual marching days in which we covered 453 kilometers (280 miles) in our zig-zagging course across country that was being busily worked over and under different conditions, marching under cover of darkness, and in some cases reached the bottom of our puttees, is not the most ideal method of viewing a country, and I know of nothing that will make a country appear so dull and uninteresting as to lead a man like a pack-mule and expect him to travel eight or nine hours a day, on little better than emergency rations."

"But the uniform kindness of the population of Belgium and especially of the people we were visiting (who could not do enough for us), did much to keep up the spirit of the troops, nor was our treatment at the hands of the people on whom we were billeted, enough to make us feel that we were being treated as enemies, and as simulating their language somewhat, we have real homes. But every time we have travelled eastward turned our backs on our business to the west, and we are very anxious to 'about-turn' now that the fighting is over and leave this war business to those who are to have a liking for it. Our interest in Canada, and though it is nice to know the method of the war, and as in us, as evidenced by the parcel to hand, we shall be more than glad when it is unnecessary to send out such tokens of remembrance and when we can clasp the hand of our unknown friends and explain our gratitude more fully."

G. Webster writes from Germany in part as follows: "We had just stopped for a rest after our long march through Belgium into Germany. We made about 200 miles in a month. The trip through Belgium was lovely with lots of lovely scenery, but it was very tiring on the horses after working so hard when the big drive was on. Our course was through the valley of the Meuse, so the country was very hilly. We crossed the Meuse on the last day of November and travelled every day till the 13th of December; on that day we crossed the Rhine at 1 o'clock and were imposed by General Plummer, as we were the first Canadian troops to cross the river. We were ordered to the rear, but we had been in the rain from 7 a.m. but we made a good showing. There were thousands of people in the streets of Cologne to see us go through. We passed through the middle of that city. It is a fine city and the people seem to be well dressed, but business is dead, and the food is very scarce. It looks as if he held on to the last as he had no rubber tires on his motor cars. Some planes had a canvas top, and his airplanes were in first class shape, wagons were loaded with everything, and all the horses that I saw were very thin. The people so far have treated us white and all seem to be the way it is over, and I myself am not sorry although I think it will be quite a long time before they begin to send us home."

Letters were received from the following: P. B. Fisher, R. M. Bryan, Edwin Brookes, J. A. Wollt, E. Faucher, W.

B. Findlater, R. J. Jorgensen, Roy Trimble, George Findlater, W. W. J. Ross, E. G. Hargrave, Chas. E. B. S. Comfort, A. Rhodes, Nursing Sister Mildred Allen, Nursing Sister Nina Nash, E. C. Pusey, L. Olesch, W. W. Metcalf, P. McGill, A. M. Forbury, Walter Moody, W. C. Boddy, Rev. Maj. P. A. Wilson, H. Horne, P. Dunlop, C. J. Butler, H. A. Good, J. L. Bennett, H. L. Leppard, C. F. Bannister, G. H. Rogers, W. B. Hume, Geoffrey, J. A. Ford, Eric Brock, J. G. McKay, R. L. Hildray, Arthur Foulde, Charlie George, C. W. Alkman, Frank, Moll, E. E. Streatch, L. G. Stringer, V. D. Postill, S. McLean, J. W. Christian, Roy Hamilton, Arnold Brookes, D. Pomeroy, P. A. Billingham, Norman Frost, P. H. Patterson, George Durance, W. E. Adkins, H. J. Smith, Murray Hagen, W. B. Kendrick, J. P. H. Russell, S. Findlater, G. F. Mott, G. Webster, W. J. Stockwell, D. O. Taylor, W. M. Lemon, Gordon Stone, Ed. Kershaw, Fred Kerrington, Percy T. Atlee, Jas. Mann, J. Shannon, J. F. Lawson, N. Scott, F. L. Reinhold, C. J. Gordon, P. Durance, R. Taylor, W. M. Lebb, George Bradley, Rev. C. W. G. Moore, George Mahon, Ralph Waterhouse, D. B. Hamilton, Arnold Brookes, D. Pomeroy, S. Blocombe, Harold R. Thornton, Philip Galbraith.

GOVERNMENT'S BIG RAILWAY SCHEME

ALBERTA DELEGATES TOLD OF CONSTRUCTION WORK TO BE DONE IN WEST.

Ottawa, Feb. 13.—Assurance that the government purposes to pursue a vigorous policy of railway construction in the prairie provinces, with the double object of benefiting sections of the country which lack transportation facilities and giving employment to returned soldiers, was obtained today by delegates from the interprovincial conference of mayors of Alberta and Saskatchewan.

The two delegates, Mayor Hardie of Lethbridge, and Capt. E. C. McKenzie, president of the Alberta Great War Veterans' Association, after interviewing Acting Premier Sir Thomas White and Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of railways and canals, expressed themselves as justified with the program laid before them by the two members of the government. Capt. McKenzie stated that Sir Thomas White had indicated that the government proposed during the coming session to vote large sums for the construction of railways and highways in the west. The buildings of \$500 cars for Canadian government railways, the manufacture of enormous quantities of steel rails for the railways, the expenditure of \$65,000,000 for alcohol, and the government housing program were, said Captain McKenzie, touched upon by the prime minister in dealing with plans for the reconstruction of the country.

The minister of railways, said the delegates, had stated that work on 300 miles of railway in Alberta and Saskatchewan had been authorized in co-operation with the government railway system. This work was all on lines partly graded and under construction. The question of further extensions on the C.P.R. was now being discussed with heads of that road, and plans were being laid now for as much work of this kind in Alberta and Saskatchewan as possible.

The Grand Trunk railway was also co-operating with the government along these lines. Just as soon as weather conditions would permit the laying of track work would be started and it was possible that a large number of men would be employed in about two weeks. Returned soldiers would, of course, be given the preference

when work was started. Captain McKenzie said the minister of railways and canals expressed his belief that the work to be undertaken would furnish employment for a very large number of returned men, and, to a great extent, the unemployment problem in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

CORRESPONDENCE

THE POSITION OF THE RETURNED VETERANS

To the Editor of The News.

Dear Sir,—With reference to various articles in both Red Deer papers regarding the Red Deer postoffice, we would like to give this opportunity to enlighten your readers as to just how we stand in the matter of appointments. We believe that the returned men who have been on an actual fighting front, should, providing he is efficient, be given preference in all positions. We are disappointed with the attitude of the government in regard to this appointment, as, in our opinion, they did not live up to their promise to show preference to men who had seen active service. Our conception of active service is having been engaged in operations of a nature that are of a military nature, such as the case of a soldier, having served on a sea-going vessel. This, of course, leads up to the present Postmaster and his right to expect any privileges under the Government's promise. We are strongly of the opinion that he is not entitled to perhaps explain ourselves in this way: If a man was really patriotic and wished to assist his country in its hour of need, we are of the opinion that he would not be in the wrong way by enlisting in the Canadian navy, or his own imaginations are at times subnormal, but we don't remember the time when they were so vivid as they are now. The returned men, who have served on the German front in the North Sea, we do not know of any man who is drifting from the Canadian navy to the British navy except by volunteering, as it naturally follows that the recruit for the Canadian navy, except in a few rare cases, were men volunteered and were accepted, rescued a Canadian "warship," and patrol our shores on the off chance of way-laying some unfortunate smuggler or bootlegger. We have the published statement of a Mr. Hedley, whose number residence is given as H.M.C.S. Rainbow, Esquimaux, B.C., before us to the effect that our present postmaster volunteered three times but was not allowed to go overseas. This, in our opinion, is pure bunk as we ourselves have been in the same position in England, viz., N.C.O.'s who were considered indispensable, in the opinion of officers, whose work we were doing, managed to get there, in some cases having to go to the length of getting more intoxicated than usual in order to be court-martialed and returned to the ranks.

We might say here that, with regard to our delegate to the convention at Regina, we have no instructions or resolutions on the postoffice matter, was through no fault of ours, but simply because at that time we did not know who had received the appointment.

Referring back to Mr. Hedley, we don't feel inclined to give his letter any consideration, as in our opinion he is in the same boat as our postmaster, neither being entitled to membership in our Association, and we have no doubt that the article was written as a first-class reference for himself when he was in the line of duty.

In conclusion, we would ask you to excuse our lack of eloquence, as our surroundings of the last few years haven't given us the time to attain the degree of proficiency reached by Mr. Hedley in his pleasant and peaceful surroundings at the Pacific coast's favorite place.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, Great War Veterans' Ass'n, Red Deer, Alta.

UNIVERSITY NOTES

It is probable that the University of Alberta, at the request of the Young Peoples' Committee of the U.F.W.A., will, through the Department of Extension, put on a course of lectures and exercises on various subjects, some connected with Agriculture and others of a patriotic character, on democratic good citizenship, etc. This course will likely be given at the close of the Summer School and will last one week. It is intended for young people over the age of sixteen and twenty-five years who have through force of circumstance had to discontinue their school education, but who are eager to improve themselves.

Courses of lectures in retail merchandising and the principles of Salesmanship will be given under the auspices of the University of Alberta in the latter half of May and the beginning of June. The course will be given in Edmonton and in Medicine Hat during its time when the Retail Merchants' Association hold their convention in that city. Each course will last one week. The lecturer for the course will be Frank Stockdale of Chicago. Similar courses have been put on by the University of Manitoba and the University of Saskatchewan. Committees of business men in each city will work with the University authorities in regard to the organization of the courses.

A vote of the Senate of the University has been taken on the proposals of the Dominion government with regard to special assistance to returned soldiers. Approval was expressed by the Senate and ratified by the Board of Governors and the Dominion government authorities have been apprised by telegram that the University of Alberta is ready to undertake the work suggested. Definite work is expected at any time from Ottawa as to just what the duties will be.

The Board of Examiners for Alberta Land Surveyors met and made a report on the results of the recent examinations. Recommendations have now been sent out to members of the Senate of the University of Alberta by mail and will be announced as soon as the vote of the Senate is complete.

On Thursday evening, February 13, the Students' Union of the University of Alberta will entertain the University of Alberta men who have returned from overseas during the past year. About seventy guests are expected. A good toast list has been prepared and it is expected that all will have a most enjoyable time.

No meeting of the Philosophical Society of the University will be held this month, as it has been impossible to arrange for a lecturer. Two lectures, however, will be given in March.

At the University service on Sunday morning February 10th, the speaker was Mrs. Walter Parbury, President of the U.F.W.A.

The Visual Instruction Division of the Department of Extension of the University of Alberta has recently added to its new lantern slides the following: Innocents Abroad, 54 slides; Abraham Lincoln, 57 slides; Sir Walter Scott, 77 slides; Domesticate Science, 72 slides; Social Control, 12 slides; Colors of Birds, Butterflies, etc., 81 slides. All of these have accompanying lecture readings. Information about the lantern slide service of the Department of Extension may be had on application.



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CITY OF RED DEER

Auditor's Report

1918

February 3rd, 1919.

The Mayor and Councilors,
City of Red Deer, Alberta.

Gentlemen:—

We have completed the audit of the Books of Account and Vouchers of the City of Red Deer for the year ending December 31st, 1918, and attach hereto the following Statements:

Certified Balance Sheet as at December 31st, 1918.

General Revenue Account for year ending December 31st, 1918.
Revenue Surplus and Capital Surplus Account
Statement of Debtors Liability, Accounts Payable and Receivable as at December 31st, 1918.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for year ending December 31st, 1918.

The usual Depreciation has been provided for on all Buildings and Equipment owned by the City and the Boulevards, Cement Sidewalks, Roads, Bridges and Plank Sidewalks, Waterworks and Sewers have been written down to the unexpired value of the debentures issued against each utility.

In addition the Station Park has been written down to the value of the improvements on this property, for the reason given in our last report and also the Nuisance Ground has been written down to its approximate present value.

The land covered by the Agreement for Sale to the Cement Builders Ltd. has been sold to the City. We have therefore written the amount of this agreement off the Revenue Surplus, and also the Account Payable to the Cement Builders Ltd.

We have inspected the titles and securities covering the Real Estate and other assets and find them to be in order.

The balances of money raised by debenture which are still unexpended are as follows:

City Square	\$ 84.31
Isolation Hospital	28.83
Boulevards	33.52
Cement Sidewalks	1,227.05
Waterworks	2,592.83
Sewers	1,067.52
	\$ 4,966.46

This amount is in a Special Savings Account at the Imperial Bank at December 31st, 1918.

We have much pleasure in reporting that the Books of Account and Records are in excellent condition and that we obtained all information necessary for our audit.

We are,

Yours truly,

BALDWIN, DOW & BOWMAN,
Chartered Accountants.

BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31st, 1918.

CAPITAL ASSETS		ASSETS	
Equipment:			
Fire Apparatus	\$ 3,468.06	City Square	\$ 84.31
Police Department	270.84	Isolation Hospital	28.83
Public Works	800.78	Boulevards	33.52
Hospital Furniture	5,665.35	Cement Sidewalks	1,227.05
City Hall Furniture	1,067.52	Waterworks	2,592.83
		Sewers	1,067.52
Real Estate and Buildings:			
Unexpended Balance of Debentures			
Sold:			
City Square	\$ 84.31	Exhibition Park	\$ 6,517.26
Isolation Hospital	28.83	Guets Park	4,115.00
		Isolation Hospital	4,452.12
		Civic Centre	90,002.74
		Nuisance Ground	3,214.49
		Lots 5, 6 and 7, Block 23	1,300.00
		Lots 18 and 19, Block 24	800.00
		Part Lot 5, Block 3	679.25
		Hospital	4,755.54
		Rink Property	1,648.45
		Sewer Outlet, Land	1,500.00
		Station Park	1,515.76
		Waskano Park	24,249.38
		Waterworks Intake	2,590.00
		Woolies Park	2,344.15
		Cemetery	2,225.00
			235,390.08
Construction:			
Boulevards	\$2,042.53		
Boulevards Unexpended Balance of Debenture	33.52		
	2,076.05		
Cement Sidewalks	68,271.90		
Cement Sidewalks Unexpended Balance of Debenture	1,227.05		
	69,498.95		
Roads, Bridges and Plank Sidewalks	26,764.72		
Waterworks Inventory	1,854.20		
Waterworks Unexpended Balance of Debenture	2,592.83		
	83,666.16		
Sewers	63,327.19		
Sewers Inventory	809.41		
Sewers Unexpended Balance of Debenture	1,067.52		
	65,199.12		
			246,743.00
			493,515.02

REVENUE ASSETS:		RECEIPTS	
Cash on hand	\$ 1,068.69	Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1918	\$ 1,569.46
Cash in Imperial Bank	22,558.98	Cash in Bank Jan. 1, 1918	30,500.37
Cash in Imperial Bank Savings Account	458.66	Current Taxes	50,655.10
Arrears of Taxes 1915	8,801.54	Arrears 1917 Taxes	14,599.10
Arrears of Taxes 1916	9,667.13	Arrears 1918 Taxes	5,725.02
Arrears of Taxes 1917	15,627.68	Arrears 1919 Taxes	1,109.76
Arrears of Taxes 1918	15,627.68	Building Permits	14.00
Lands sold 1915	2,701.89	Cemetery	184.00
Lands sold 1916	3,152.40	Dog Taxes	257.00
Lands sold 1917	4,194.15	Licenses	174.80
Lands sold 1918	31,212.84	Market	222.20
Lands confirmed 1918	31,212.84	Police Fines	42.15
Accounts Receivable	3,356.75	Rents	302.50
Water Rates Receivable	663.14	Miscellaneous	255.45
Mortgage, Thompson	103.00	Printing and Advertising	4,139.43
Insurance Unexpended	123.42	Public School	22,165.00
Treasury Bills 1918 Loss on sale	687.50	Separate School	900.00
Treasury Bills 1917 Loss on sale	1,280.00	Waterworks Maintenance	2,315.37
Treasury Bills 1916 Loss on sale	640.00	Waterworks Principal	14,234.18
		Refund Dog Tax	8.75
		Refund Water Rates	33.70
		Fire Hall and Office Equipment	5.00
		Soldiers' Homes' Taxes Refunded	340.15
		Englewood	154.15
		Street Lighting	1,875.00
		Treasury Bill Coupons	23,750.00
		Exhibition Grounds	1,557.75
		Bank Returns	47.38
		Isolation Hospital	470.30
		Cash on Hand Dec. 31, 1918	1,068.69
		Cash in Bank Dec. 31, 1918	26,781.10
			\$569,901.23

BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31st, 1918.

CAPITAL LIABILITIES		LIABILITIES	
Debtors Debt:			
Buildings, Equipment, Etc.	\$ 82,267.01		
Construction:			
Boulevards	5,076.06		
Cement Sidewalks	69,498.95		
Roads, Bridges, Etc.	26,764.72		
Waterworks	83,666.16		
Sewers	64,771.12		
	246,743.00		
Capital Surplus	164,605.01		
	493,515.02		
REVENUE LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable per list	12,411.74		
Bills Payable Imperial Bank	35,000.00		
Treasury Bills 1918	27,000.00		
Treasury Bills 1917	50,000.00		
Treasury Bills 1916	24,000.00		
Debtors Principal Unpaid	2,640.54		
Debtors Interest Unpaid	1,113.41		
Sinking Fund	30.77		
Suspense	15.00		
Revenue Surplus	44,122.64		
	165,454.10		
			\$ 658,969.12

We hereby certify that we have audited the Books of Account

and Vouchers of The City of Red Deer, for the year ending December 31st, 1918; and that the above Balance Sheet is true and correct as shown by the said Books of Account at that date, and, in our opinion, presents a correct view of the Affairs of the City of Red Deer.

BALDWIN, DOW & BOWMAN,
Chartered Accountants.
Edmonton, Alberta,
February 1st, 1919.GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT
FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1918.

CREDIT		DEBIT	
Assessment	\$ 86,632.26	Assessor 1918 and 1919	\$ 800.00
Interest on Arrears of Taxes	6,350.45	Board of Health	445.10
Costs and Interest on Lands sold to City	3,605.25	Cemetery	157.65
Taxes from Sinking Fund	2.56	Exhibition Grounds' Expense	156.78
Building Permits	14.00	Englewood	154.15
Cemetery, Sale of Lots	419.00	Fire Department	139.40
Dog Taxes	257.00	Fuel and Light	511.73
Licenses	174.80	Grants	250.00
Weigh Scales and Market Receipts	764.80	Insurance	60.00
Miscellaneous Receipts	241.15	Isolation Hospital Expense	1,171.69
Police Court Fines	42.15	Legal Expenses	1,364.22
Pound Fees	25.00	License and Police Department	2,421.77
Rents	302.50	Market	50.72
Water Rates	4,194.15	Miscellaneous	709.18
	102,870.07	Office Expense	2,340.80
		Printing and Advertising	1,028.68
		Parks Maintenance	92.27
		Public Works Maintenance	3,301.03
		Relief	15.79
		Salaries	900.00
		Sewer Maintenance	1,450.00
		Street Lighting	2,750.00
		Treasury Bill Interest	3,491.58
		Waterworks Maintenance	2,745.08
		Debtors Principal	14,639.78
		Debtors Interest	19,126.83
		Red Deer Public School	2,340.74
		Red Deer Separate School	86.00
		Treasury Bills 1916 and 1917 Loss on Sale	945.76
		Capital Expenditures	79.40
			92,256.02

Profit on Operations for year ending December 31st, 1918, Carried to Revenue Surplus

\$ 10,575.05

CAPITAL SURPLUS ACCOUNT

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1918.

DEBIT		CREDIT	
Balance January 1st, 1918	\$206,936.35	Depreciation:	
Debtors Principal Paid	14,639.78	Boulevards	\$ 662.50
Expenditure on Capital Accounts from Revenue	79.40	Cement Walks	1,307.40
	\$231,655.08	Cemetery	220.00
		Exhibition Property (Buildings)	1,515.77
		Fire Equipment	187.79
		Fire Hall and Office Furniture	27.28
		Isolation Hospital	14.27
		License and Police Department	639.49
		City Square Property	23.25
		Public Works Construction	2,623.56
		Hospital	561.74
		Public Works Equipment	97.28
		Sewer Construction	1,454.12
		Waterworks Construction	1,453.71
		Nuisance Ground	14,137.87
		Station Park	30,000.00
			57,151.07
Capital Surplus, December 31st, 1918	\$164,605.01		

REVENUE SURPLUS ACCOUNT

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1918.

CREDIT		DEBIT	
Balance January 1st, 1918	\$ 36,495.11	Taxes 1913-1914 part of Sec. 7 written off	\$ 483.12
Cement Builders, Account Payable written off	54.00	Cement Builders, Agreement for sale written off	2,500.00
Balance, transferred from General Revenue Account, December 31st, 1918	10,575.05		2,983.12
	47,124.76		
			\$ 44,122.64

DEBTORS LIABILITY

The Debtors Liability at December 31st, 1918, was \$329,010.01, comprising:	
Buildings and Equipment, etc.	\$ 82,267.01
Boulevards	5,076.06
Cement Walks	2,076.05
Exhibition Grounds	69,498.95
Street Works and Bridges	26,764.72
Waterworks	83,666.16
Sewers	64,771.12

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1918.

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1918	\$ 1,569.46	Assessor (3 years)	\$ 800.00
Cash in Bank Jan. 1, 1918	30,500.37	Board of Health	345.90
Current Taxes	50,655.10	Cemetery	157.65
Arrears 1917 Taxes	14,599.10	Englewood	154.15
Arrears 1918 Taxes	5,725.02	Fuel and Light	4,899.44
Arrears 1919 Taxes	1,109.76	Grants	138.00
Building Permits	14.00	Isolation Hospital	14.27
Cemetery	184.00	Licenses and Police	2,315.37
Dog Taxes	257.00	Market	50.72
Licenses	174.80	Miscellaneous	1,252.23
Market	222.20	Office Expense	3,529.80
Police Fines	42.15	Parks Maintenance	111.14
Rents	302.50	Printing and Advertising	1,028.68
Miscellaneous	255.45	Public School	22,165.00
Printing and Advertising	4,139.43	Separate School	900.00
Public School	22,165.00	Waterworks Maintenance	2,315.37
Separate School	900.00	Waterworks Principal	14,234.18
Waterworks Maintenance	2,315.37	Refund Dog Tax	8.75
Waterworks Principal	14,234.18	Refund Water Rates	33.70
Refund Dog Tax	8.75	Fire Hall and Office Equipment	5.00
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Fire Hall and Office Equipment	5.00	Englewood	154.15
Soldiers' Homes' Taxes Refunded	340.15	Street Lighting	1,875.00
Englewood	154.15	Treasury Bill Coupons	23,750.00
Street Lighting	1,875.00	Exhibition Grounds	1,557.75
Treasury Bill Coupons	23,750.00	Bank Returns	47.38
Exhibition Grounds	1,557.75	Isolation Hospital	470.30
Bank Returns	47.38	Cash on Hand Dec. 31, 1918	1,068.69
Isolation Hospital	470.30	Cash in Bank Dec. 31, 1918	26,781.10
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Cash in Bank Dec. 31, 1918	26,781.10		

WAR VETERANS IN
CONFERENCE URGE
DEPORTATIONSSIR THOMAS WHITE POINTS OUT
DIFFICULTIES IN CARRYING OUT
PROGRAMME SUGGESTED.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 10.—The Great War Veterans, through their Dominion secretary-treasurer, McNeill, have brought to the attention of the government a number of resolutions forwarded by branches of that organization, principally in the west, urging the deportation of undesirable aliens, the examination into the loyalty of those suspected of enemy sympathies and the curtailment of certain civil rights of such as may be permitted to remain in the country.

To these, Sir Thomas White, acting prime minister, has replied in part, as follows: "The resolutions which you have been good enough to send me have been presented to the council and shall receive our most attentive consideration. Some of them, while embodying ideas which have our general support and sympathy, would present great practical difficulties in carrying out and particularly at the present time. Some of the matters dealt with also are under our examination within provincial rather than Dominion jurisdiction. The government has already indicated its attitude through an official statement in the press its attitude toward, and the general situation regarding, alien immigrants as it comes before it. Briefly, this is a good scheme.

REGARDING DEPORTATIONS "With respect to interned enemy aliens, deportation of those dangerous and undesirable, is being carried out as an emergency measure. Pending the conclusion of the peace conference this work will necessarily be slow as there is in addition to shortage of shipping, the fact that enemy countries are still closed, except to such admittance of their nationals as it is possible to arrange. The order-in-council urging internment of enemy aliens who are dangerous of a menace to the peace of the community is still in full force and operation.

The government has brought to the attention of the prime minister and his colleagues at the peace conference the question of provisions of aid and of assistance for those alien residents of Canada, numbering as we are advised, many thousands, who desire to return to their own country at their own expense, but who are unable to do so owing to their inability to obtain transportation. We are anxious to see that the prime minister to have the conference specially consider the stipulations which may be necessary in the peace treaty to enable provisions of aid from Canada for a period after the official conclusion of peace of dangerous and undesirable persons of enemy nationality and of assistance to the countries of their origin. In view of the difficulties surrounding the whole question in a country of such varied racial influences, we feel we can rely upon the full support and co-operation of the Great War Veterans' Association in aiding by their great influence, the successful solution. The matter of parliamentary legislation needed to effectually deal with some of the problems involved is now under consideration by the government.

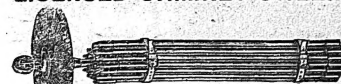
AUSTRIANS TAKEN FOR
COMPLICITY IN
WELLAND CRIMECOALHURST MINERS ALLEGED TO
BE RESPONSIBLE FOR
ATTACK ON PETRUS.

Lethbridge, Feb. 12.—For a crime committed so far back as April of last year in Ontario, the arm of justice has reached out to Alberta in the apprehension and the conviction of two men charged with the crime of two Austrian miners charged with complicity in the same. The two men who were employed in the coal mines at Coalhurst, nearby, are wanted by the Welland police in that they are alleged to be the parties responsible for the attack on Constable Petrus of their nationality named Petrus with an iron bar. Petrus was left for dead and having spent five months in the hospital is now under a life for life. The crime took place at Crowland, in Welland County.

The Austrians were, as a matter of fact, arrested two weeks ago, but the provincial police have been silent owing to the circumstances. The details have been made public today by the arrival of Constable Stockbridge from Crowland, with a witness, who identified the men as being there, and their leaving for Ontario to face the charge of attempted murder preferred against them.

When arrested by Constable Morarty, from the description of the men wanted sent out by the Welland police, the prisoners denied all knowledge of Welland. They said they were from Ontario and that they were Paul Orlivich, though their names as the police have them, are Haluk and Petrus, as appeared on the parole certificate which they carried. They went as far as to threaten the police with pains and penalties for wrongful arrest and defamation of character. Though the men were remanded three times, the proceedings were kept shut out by the police until they obtained absolute identification from the photos and danger prints forwarded to Welland.

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The Public Schools were reopened on Monday last.

S. N. Caracallen, of Calgary, was in the city over the week end.

Mrs. F. H. Tallman is spending a couple of weeks with friends in Calgary.

Prof. Masse for artistic piano tuning. Leave orders at Madame Le Saunier's.

Mr. and Mrs. White, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Gordon Matthews, left on Friday last for their home in Toronto via Chicago.

Senator E. Michener left last evening to attend the session at Ottawa. He went via Edmonton and the Grand Trunk Pacific.

The Little Helpers branch of the St. John's Parish W.A.A., will hold meetings at the Parish Hall every Friday at 3:15 p.m., commencing on Friday, February 20th.

A. E. Townsend has sold his business of billiard rooms and bowling alley to B. Bennett, a returned veteran. Mr. Townsend will go east to reside.

Rural Municipal nominations for Pine Lake municipality will be held at Red Deer, and for Golden West at Sylvan Lake, tomorrow, Thursday, February 20.

The postponed dance will be held in the Parish Hall on Friday, Feb. 21st. Mrs. Trainor's, Calgary, Orchestra. Keep the date open.

A united meeting of the Ladies' Aid and Women's Missionary Society of Knox Presbyterian Church will be held in the Hall of the Church on Friday afternoon, 21st, at 3 o'clock.

Any citizen 16 years of age wishing to join class being formed in connection with Veterans' Band, please communicate with the secretary, G.W.V.A. Armouries, Phone 326.

D. A. McGill has disposed of his coal business to E. J. Ramsey, who will conduct it in the future. Mr. McGill expects to move to Calgary where he will likely go into the coal business in that city.

The senior and immediate pupils of Madame Le Saunier will give an entertainment in the Parish Hall on Thursday, Feb. 27th, at 8 o'clock. The proceeds will be devoted to the Great War Veterans Fund.

Joshua Thompson, father of Chas. Thompson, has taken up his residence on Victoria Avenue, Red Deer. He is accompanied by his wife, H. Thompson and daughter Mary. They come from Lancaster, Ont.

C. Y. Price, of Veteran, was in the city on Monday. He has been on a trip to the south country, where, he states, there is no snow and the weather is flying. Out at Veteran Mr. Price says there is more snow than here.

At a meeting of the congregation of St. Luke's Church, on Wednesday evening last, J. Percival was elected People's Warden in place of T. S. Miller, resigned. Mr. Percival's place on the Vestry was taken by N. White.

Mrs. Crosby, wife of C. S. Crosby, druggist, Eckville, passed through a serious operation at the Memorial Hospital on Saturday last. We are pleased to state she is doing as well it could be expected under the circumstances.

J. W. Hey, secretary-treasurer, and L. Segeltraut, of Pine Lake Rural Municipal Council, and A. Rogers, chairman, and J. Johnson, of Rural Municipality of Golden West, and J. O. Shaw, of Concord, were in attendance at the big convention in Calgary recently.

BIRTHS.

At the Memorial Hospital on Friday, February 14th, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Jeanneret, a son.

DEATHS.

At Milton, Ont., on February 11th, Miss A. E. Partridge, sister of Mrs. E. M. Wilson.

At Oshawa, Ont., on Wednesday, February 12th, Rebecca, relict of the late Edward Carswell, and aunt of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carswell, aged 87 years.

At Clearview, on Friday, Feb. 14, Annie Kate, beloved wife of Mr. Christopher White, jr., aged 24 years.

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2. That fifteen minutes before the hour of nine o'clock p.m. from the first day of October in every year until the thirty-first day of March following, both days inclusive, and fifteen minutes before ten o'clock p.m. between the first day of April and the thirty-first day of September following in every year, both days inclusive, the City constable shall cause the bell in the Fire Hall to be rung for at least ten minutes, which shall be known as the Curfew Bell.

3. That any child within the age aforesaid, found on the streets of the City of Red Deer, contrary to the provisions of this By-law, and any parent or guardian of any such child, who after being duly warned in writing by the City police, permitting the child to be on the streets of the City of Red Deer, contrary to the provisions of this By-law, shall upon summary conviction be subject to a penalty not exceeding five dollars, exclusive of costs, and in case of non-payment of fine and costs inflicted for any such breach, such offender shall be liable to imprisonment either in the lock-up house of the City of Red Deer, or in the nearest common goal for any period not exceeding twenty days, unless such fine and costs, including the costs of commitment, are sooner paid.

A. T. STEPHENSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

Feb. 19-2

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DOG TAG LICENSE—All citizens who own dogs are notified to secure their Dog Tag before March 1st, as after that date owners of dogs found without a tag will be summoned before the magistrate and fined.—By order, Acting Chief of Police JESSE HALSTEAD. Feb. 16-2

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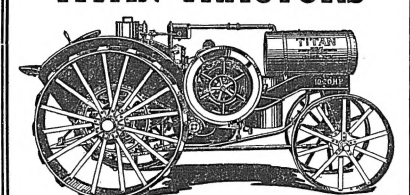
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